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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
AND PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

This is responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed May 12, 2009 in the above matter. A response was due August 12, 2009. Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time; thus this response is due November 12, 2009 and is being timely filed.

Authorization is hereby given to charge the three-month extension fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3) (\$1,110.00) and the fee under 37 CFR 1.16(i) for two additional claims (\$104) to the undersigned attorney's deposit account No. 50-1047. It is further requested that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office charge any deficiencies, or credit any overpayments made to Deposit Account 50-1047.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

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